Town of Sherrill, Arkansas

Financial and Compliance Report

December 31, 2023



LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE

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Town of Sherrill, Arkansas Officials and Council Members Legislative Joint Auditing Committee

A priority of Arkansas Legislative Audit is to assist local government officials by promoting sound financial management and accountability of government resources. The Legislative Auditor reports on the fiscal affairs of local governments, as well as compliance with relevant state laws and observance of good business practices to provide accountability for tax dollars expended to support government operations.

We have performed certain limited procedures with respect to cash basis financial information and compliance with certain state laws and accepted accounting practices for the Town of Sherrill, Arkansas, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2023, and have issued our report thereon dated September 9, 2024. Management of the Town is responsible for maintaining the financial records and complying with state laws and accepted accounting practices.

The findings contained in this section relates to the following officials who held office during 2023:

Mayor: Jody Campbell Recorder/Treasurer: Mauricene Blackwell

We evaluated the Town's compliance with certain state laws concerning general and district court accounting, budgeting, purchasing, and investing and depositing of public funds.

Noncompliance with state law and accepted accounting practices was noted in the offices of the Mayor and Recorder/Treasurer.

Mayor and Recorder/Treasurer

Adequate supporting documentation was not maintained for all disbursements, as required by Ark. Code Ann. § 14-59-105.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee, local Town government, state executive and oversight management, and other parties as required by Arkansas Code, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties. However, pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. § 10-4-417, all reports presented to the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee are matters of public record and distribution is not limited.

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Kevin William White, CPA, JD Legislative Auditor

Little Rock, Arkansas September 9, 2024 LOM314723

TOWN OF SHERRILL, ARKANSAS SCHEDULE OF FINANCIAL INFORMATION FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023 (UNAUDITED)

	General Fund				
Cash Balance, January 1, 2023	\$	104,180	\$	96,914	
Receipts:					
State aid		869		19,930	
Property taxes		5,785		,	
Franchise fees		35			
Sales taxes		22,701			
Interest		1,000		547	
Contributions from Jefferson County				26,727	
Other				2,100	
Transfers in				10,000	
Total Receipts		30,390	-	59,304	
Disbursements:					
General government		21,569			
Highways and streets				18,705	
Public safety				47,953	
Transfers out		10,000			
Total Disbursements		31,569	-	66,658	
Cash Balance, December 31, 2023	\$	103,001	\$	89,560	

Schedule 1

TOWN OF SHERRILL, ARKANSAS COMBINING SCHEDULE OF FINANCIAL INFORMATION - SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023 (UNAUDITED)

	Street		Fire Department Act 833		Volunteer Fire Department #2		Total	
Cash Balance, January 1, 2023	\$	41,773	\$	46,908	\$	8,233	\$	96,914
Receipts:								
State aid		4,471		15,459				19,930
Interest		418		129				547
Contributions from Jefferson County				26,727				26,727
Other		2,000		100				2,100
Transfers in		10,000						10,000
Total Receipts		16,889		42,415				59,304
Disbursements:								
Highways and streets		18,705						18,705
Public safety				39,720		8,233		47,953
Total Disbursements		18,705		39,720		8,233		66,658
Cash Balance, December 31, 2023	\$	39,957	\$	49,603	\$	0	\$	89,560

Schedule 2

TOWN OF SHERRILL, ARKANSAS OTHER INFORMATION FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023 (UNAUDITED)

1. Cash balances on the Financial Schedules include demand and savings accounts.

2. The Municipality's capital assets records are summarized below:

	December 31, 2023		
Land & Buildings Equipment	\$	333,763 156,880	
Total	\$	490,643	

Schedule 3